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Applicant provides a copy of an August 1, 2003 Search Report that was issued in the European counterpart of the present Application.

In the Search Report European Patent Application No. 1 075 917 was cited. This publication already is of record in the present Application.

International Publication No. WO 96/14972 entitled "Formwork Frame" additionally was cited and is the subject of this Information Disclosure Statement. A copy is submitted herewith. This International Publication was placed in the "A" category as "technological background".

The undersigned attorney states that International Publication No. WO 96/14972 was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign patent application, and after making reasonable inquiry was not known to any individual designated in §1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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For the reasons indicated in the amendment filed on September 5, 2002, this Application is urged to be in condition for allowance.

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